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**To:** [Opalski, Dan](#); [Zhen, Davis](#); [Grandinetti, Cami](#); [Sheldrake, Sean](#); [Bilbrey, Sheryl](#)  
**Cc:** [Knudsen, Laura](#); [Holsman, Marianne](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Polluters In Driver's Seat For Portland Harbor Superfund Cleanup Plan [Portland Tribune]  
**Date:** Monday, November 13, 2017 1:54:59 PM

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FYI -- follow-up from the Portland Tribune reporter today:

1. Planning a follow-up story on the outcome of EPA's negotiations with the Pre-RD Group
2. Portland Harbor story by Tribune reporter this afternoon on KPAM radio
3. Expecting an editorial on Portland Harbor in Portland Tribune Tues. print edition

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**From:** Skadowski, Suzanne  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 9, 2017 1:57 PM  
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**Subject:** Polluters In Driver's Seat For Portland Harbor Superfund Cleanup Plan [Portland Tribune]  
**Importance:** High

Hi Folks,

Story from last week's Portland Tribune inquiry finally posted. FYI I'm expecting an OPB story from Cassandra Profita who called me late yesterday. Stay tuned.

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**Polluters In Driver's Seat For Portland Harbor Superfund Cleanup Plan**

**Oregon, city, tribal officials wary that existing 16-year study could be unraveled by EPA deal**

Steve Law | Portland Tribune | Nov. 8, 2017 <http://portlandtribune.com/pt/9-news/378032-263923-polluters-in-drivers-seat-for-superfund-cleanup-plan>

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**From:** Skadowski, Suzanne

**Sent:** Friday, November 3, 2017 3:19 PM

**To:** 'SLaw@PortlandTribune.com' <[SLaw@PortlandTribune.com](mailto:SLaw@PortlandTribune.com)>

**Subject:** RE: Portland Harbor sampling

Hi Steve,

Thank you for your inquiry, and for your patience with our responsiveness.

Following up here on our earlier conversations. In reply to your inquiry, EPA's current official statement on these issues is described in the attached Oct. 12 letter to Oregon DEQ. We are

declining your invitation for an interview at this time.

Thank you,  
Suzanne

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**From:** Sheldrake, Sean  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 2, 2017 12:41 PM  
**To:** Skadowski, Suzanne <[Skadowski.Suzanne@epa.gov](mailto:Skadowski.Suzanne@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Portland Harbor sampling - media contact

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**From:** Sheldrake, Sean  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 02, 2017 11:17 AM  
**To:** MacIntyre, Mark <[Macintyre.Mark@epa.gov](mailto:Macintyre.Mark@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** FW: Portland Harbor sampling - media contact

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**Subject:** Portland Harbor sampling

Hi Sean.  
I'm working on an update story for the Portland Tribune today on the sampling plan for the Portland Harbor Superfund site, and was hoping to speak with you.  
Are you free to talk any time today?  
Tomorrow might work as well, though I'd hope to wrap up my reporting today and begin writing the story.  
I'm best reachable on cell at 503-422-2492.  
Thanks!

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